



Reference: RFI 1806019

Request:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I am requesting the following information related to pavement hazards:

- 1) How many individual claims have been made to your council for damage / injury sustained by pedestrians encountering pavement hazards (such as poor surfaces, loose paving slabs, raised or sunken iron work, potholes, damaged kerbs, flooded footpaths, head-height signs etc)

67 – Total of claims received, to include both open and closed. Some closed claims were settled at zero.

- 2) The percentage of the total number of claims that were successful

4.48%

- 3) The total value of compensation claims paid by your authority for such injuries

£19,741.48

Please provide this information for the 12 months to the end of April 2018 (or 12 months to the closest date possible to the end of April).

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